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For: **PANEL ARRANGEMENT FOR AN INTERIOR LINING OF A PASSENGER CABIN IN AN AIRCRAFT**

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed October 5, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

FEE CALCULATION

Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

If checked, "Small Entity" status is claimed.

	NO. CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA PRESENT			RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	23	MINUS	22	*	=	1	X	\$52.00
INDEP.	2	MINUS	3	**	=	0	X	\$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				X				\$ 0.00
* not less than 20 ** not less than 3							TOTAL	\$ 52.00

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SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

1. If checked, an amended abstract is submitted herewith.
2. If checked, amendment(s) to the drawings are submitted herewith.
3. If checked, amendment(s) to the specification are submitted herewith.
4. If checked, amendment(s) to the claims are submitted herewith.

CONTINGENT EXTENSION REQUEST

If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 500864.